

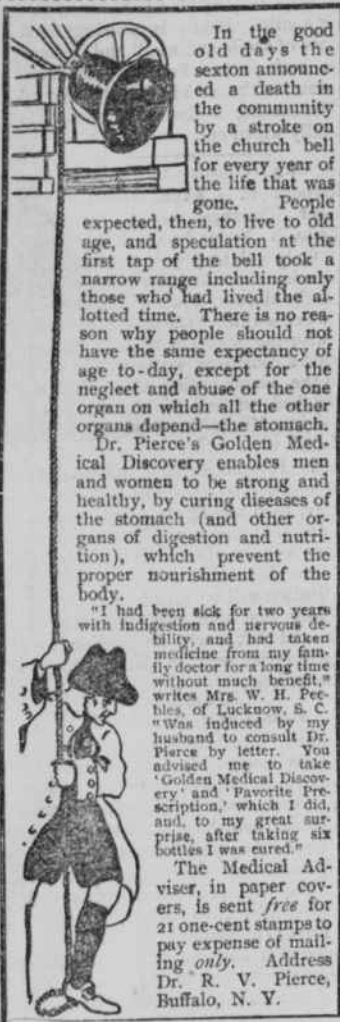
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HICKS FOR MAY.

From the 1st to the 3rd growing storm conditions will increase as they advance eastward across the country, resulting in wide cloud areas with active storms of rain, wind and thunder on and touching the 2nd and 3rd. In the nature of things, rising barometer, change of winds to westerly and northerly, and much cooler weather will follow close on the rear of these storms, giving many northern to central sections touches of chill and frost during some of the nights in the first week of May.
On and touching the 6th to 7th look for decided and rapid change to falling barometer, and quite warm, resulting in sharp electric storms on the 6th and 7th. Moon crossed the celestial equator on the 6th and heavy thunder storms will be most natural on and next to that day. As these storms pass eastward across the country, change to rising barometer and must cooler will follow from the west, giving possible frost in northern sections between 7th and 10th.

The regular storm period covering the 10th to 15th May, be set down as dangerous; by this time the focus of the Sun's magnetic and electric energy will lie along parallel lines covering the central sections or sections most subject to violent tornado storms. From the 11th to about the 14th storms of rain, hail and thunder, some of them furious and sweeping will visit many states in their sweep to Atlantic seaboard. Storms at this and the remaining days of May are apt to recur about the same time of day for several days. A decided change of wind to the west and cooler, will be followed by frosts in the northern states. We must not be understood as saying that tornadoes must occur at this time, but the astronomic outlook is such as to make such storms decidedly probable. The general aspect of cloud, sky, wind, current, temperature, barometer and hygrometer will give timely and ample warnings as to whether the storm centers are coming your way.

The center of Mercury period falls on the 15th and the reaction storm period is central on the 17th and 18th. About these days storm conditions will reach another maximum then look out for very cooler weather for several days. The last regular storm period for May reaches from the 22nd to 28th; this is another period in which heavy or dangerous storms are entirely probable. The 25th to 28th will be the time of greatest violence and probable danger although general daily disturbances may continue through the month.

The moon is new on the 26th at greatest declination north on the 27th, and in perigee on the 18th. These facts, added to their existing causes lead us to say that storms of wide and dangerous proportions are very probable on and touching the 26th, 27th and 28th. Phenomenally half temperature, high humidity and very low barometer will precede these storms serving effectually as premonitions and warnings.

May and June are the months this year in which to collect and store supplies of water. Those depending on rains for much supply will do well to heed this warning.

EXTRACTING GOLD FROM GRAVEL.—Thomas A. Edison has a scheme for extracting the untold billions of dollars' worth of gold that lie in the immense "low grade" quartz beds in Lower California, New Mexico, Arizona and northern Mexico. These cannot now be worked, because water for the old-fashioned placer hydraulic system is lacking and the gold runs in too small a quantity to the ton to make mining it profitable under other systems. An air blast is employed by Edison in his solution of the problem to separate the gold from the mass. Experiments on the desert near Santa Fe by Claude Chapman, one of Edison's assistants, have enabled Edison and Chapman to produce a machine which they declare will reclaim 98 per cent. of the gold from the gravel. The plant near Santa Fe was constructed to see what would actually be accomplished under the most adverse conditions. Edison estimates that 25c in gold should be yielded by a ton of the poorest gravel and says his machine will reclaim 95 per cent. of the gold contained in seven tons of gravel every hour. The gravel is dug out of the bank with a steam shovel. Conveyors then carry it to sieves that separate it into particles of uniform size. Each separator is designed to handle gravel of a certain size, and the gravel is automatically distributed to the hopper of its proper machine. The gravel falls through a narrow slit before a rotary blower, which drives a powerful blast of air against the falling gravel. The gold, being heaviest, falls to the bottom of the machine, but all the lighter gravel and sand is blown into a separate compartment.

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TO BE DISCIPLINED.—At yesterday's session of the London Diocesan Conference the Bishop of London, Right Rev. Arthur P. Ingram, read a letter from representatives of the clergy of the diocese drawing attention to the Vandenberg-Bathurst wedding and requesting him to make such reference during the conference "to this scandalous and deplorable incident as shall serve to allay to some extent the distress of the clergy, who feel keenly this infringement of the marriage law in the diocese, and which may also lead others to realize how serious a breach of church discipline is involved in such a proceeding." The Bishop said he need hardly say that even without this letter the matter would have been investigated. He had seen the chancellor of the diocese, who contended that he was obliged by law to issue a license to divorced persons if any clergyman could be found to marry them, as in this case; that the latter was the guilty party; that the chancellor's jurisdiction was entirely independent of the Bishop's; and that the license went out in the chancellor's name and not in the Bishop's. The Bishop of London added that he had already summoned Rev. Mr. Hadfield, the vicar of the church, and a lay-vicar who he would give his opinion of the whole matter.

THE PORTSMOUTH FIRE.—As was stated in the Gazette, fire yesterday morning entirely destroyed the freight warehouse of the Southern Railway in Portsmouth, and the car factory of T. P. Lindsay, in which the blaze originated, was also burned to the ground. The damage will amount to about \$30,000. While Portsmouth firemen were fighting the Southern Railway fire, twenty-four houses on First avenue and Loudon street were totally destroyed. The fire, which was the work of an incendiary, so it is supposed, originated in a saloon on the corner and spread down both streets. As the burning buildings were nearly a half mile from any available water supply, the firemen could only prevent the spread of the flames.

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